

January 26, 2018

VIA EMAIL

The Honorable Dianne Feinstein
Ranking Member, Senate Committee on the Judiciary
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Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Adam Schiff
Ranking Member, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Ranking Member Feinstein and Ranking Member Schiff:

Thank you for your letter dated January 23, 2018 relating to recent reports indicating that Twitter accounts believed to be affiliated with the Russian government are calling for the release of a memo regarding purported surveillance by the U.S. government.

We are committed to protecting our platform from bad actors who try to undermine our democracy. We constantly monitor for those who engage in state-sponsored information operations on our platform, and we welcome information about incidents that may have occurred on other platforms—in this case, on Twitter—because it can help us to anticipate and understand new and evolving threats. We have shared with the Congress on a bipartisan basis our findings to date concerning Russian interference in the 2016 election and, consistent with our data policy, we will continue to update you and your colleagues as circumstances warrant.

Sincerely,



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